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In re Patent Application of: Frank WEISS et al.

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

M/S Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.97 and § 1.98, Applicants submit for consideration in the above-identified application the documents listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08a/b. The Examiner is requested to make these documents of record.

This Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is in response to the non-final Office Action dated February 7, 2005, wherein the Examiner did not acknowledge the references cited on the PTO-1449 submitted on July 8, 2003, and January 5, 2004. Applicants hereby submit an English abstract for DE 195 20 117 A1 and an English counterpart for DE 690 21 139 T2. Additionally, a Statement of Relevancy is provided below for the article, "MTZ Motortechische Zeitschrift" which is translated, "Automotive Engineering Magazine."

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